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Docket No. 1285-001

Patent

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Henry G. Vaughn

Serial No.: 10/766,176

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For: **DECORATIVE RAILING ASSEMBLY FOR A BUILDING
AND METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING SAME**

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. §121

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the restriction requirement dated September 27, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper. Namely, claims 1-22 are original while claims 23-26 are withdrawn.

Remarks begin thereafter on page 7.